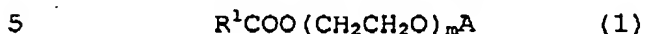


ABSTRACT

Provided is an aqueous liquid detergent composition containing a long-chain fatty acid glycol ester represented by the following formula (1):



wherein, A is H or COR², R¹ and R² represents a C₁₁₋₂₁ alkyl or alkenyl group, and m stands for a number of from 1 to 3, and a surfactant, wherein the fatty acid constituent of the long-chain fatty acid glycol ester contains 60 wt.% or
10 greater of fatty acids having 18 or more carbon atoms, 40 wt.% or less of a fatty acid having 16 carbon atoms, and 5 wt.% or less of fatty acids having less than 16 carbon atoms; and the composition has a pH of from 1 to 5 at 25°C when diluted to 20 times the weight with water.

15 The detergent composition has benefits such as an elegant and expensive-looking pearl luster, is excellent in stability of a pearling agent, particularly long storage stability at high temperatures, and has good detergency and foaming property.

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